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In re Application of: Paul A. Levine and Gene A. Bornzin

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For:

IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC STIMULATION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR

MEASURING ATRIOVENTRICULAR CONDUCTION AND ADJUSTING

ATRIOVENTRICULAR HYSTERESIS

**Docket No.: A01P1066US01** 

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Respectfully submitted,

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	6,081,747	6/27/2000	Levine et al.	607/9	10/26/1998

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	5,417,714	5/23/1995	Levine et al.	607/9	5/11/1993
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